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SUBJECT: MEXICO REQUESTS SUPPORT FOR CANDIDATE FOR W.H.O.  
DIRECTOR GENERAL

Per a dipnote dated September 6, 2006, the Mexican  
Secretariat of Foreign Relations (SRE) reiterated its request

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for USG support for Secretary of Public Health Dr. Julio  
Frenk's candidacy as Director General of the World Health  
Organization (WHO). The election of the next Director  
General will take place at the next WHO Executive Board  
meeting in Geneva, 6-8 November. In the same dipnote, the  
SRE announced its support for Ruth Wedgwood, the USG  
candidate for the UN Human Rights Committee, who was  
re-elected on September 7, 2006.

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